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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.322

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.322, Patentee requests correction of the Office (errors) in the above-referenced patent as noted below:

1. Col. 126, claim 5, please replace lines 54-55 with the following:

-- A compound according to claim 1, wherein:

R^3 is hydrogen, methyl, chlorine, fluorine, C_{1-6} alkylS-, or methoxy.--.

Support for the request for entry of the replacement claim can be found in the response to final office action dated May 17, 2010 (previously claim 6).

2. Col. 127, claim 8, please replace lines 65-67 with the following:

--N-({4-[(2R,3R)-1-(4-Fluorophenyl)-3-({2-hydroxy-2-[4-(methylthio)phenyl]ethyl}thio)-4-oxoazetidin-2-yl]phenoxy}acetyl)glycyl-3-methyl-D-valine;--

Support for the request for entry of the replacement of the partial claim can be found in the response to final office action dated May 17, 2010 (previously claim 11).

Applicants respectfully request favorable action.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies of fees and credit of any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-0436.

Respectfully submitted,

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